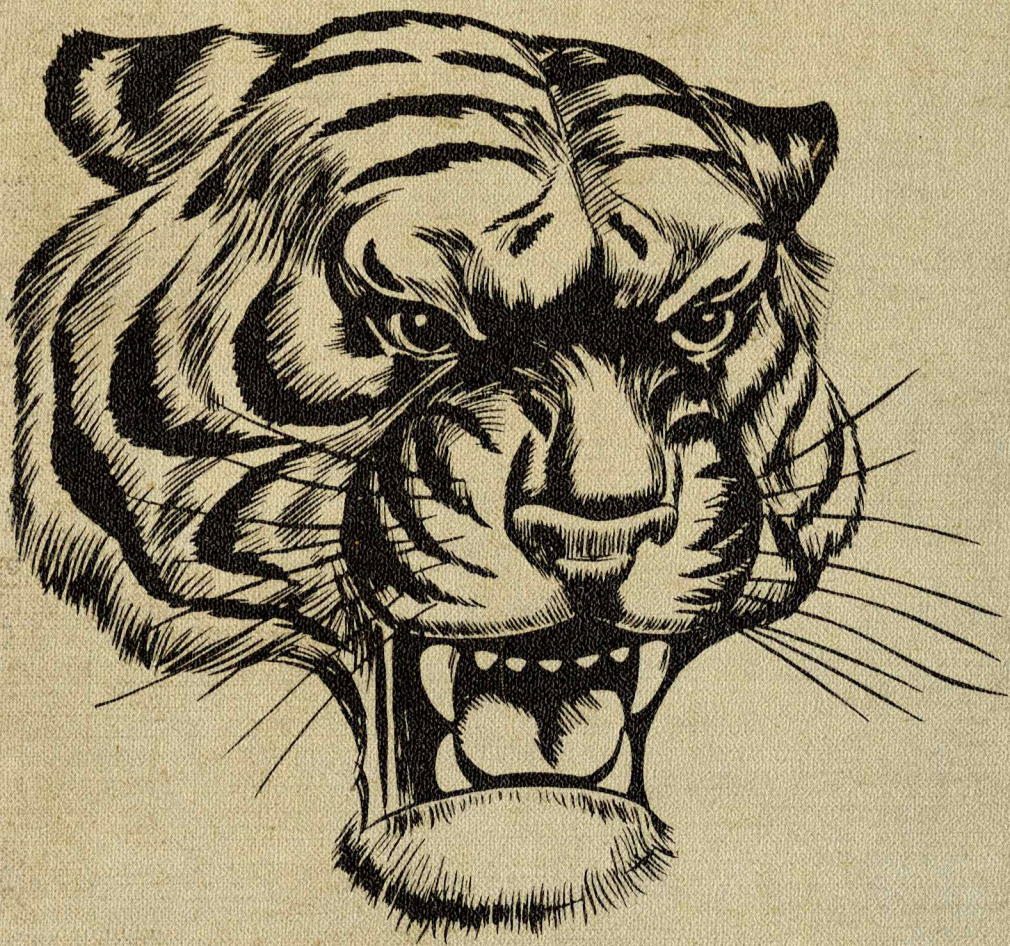

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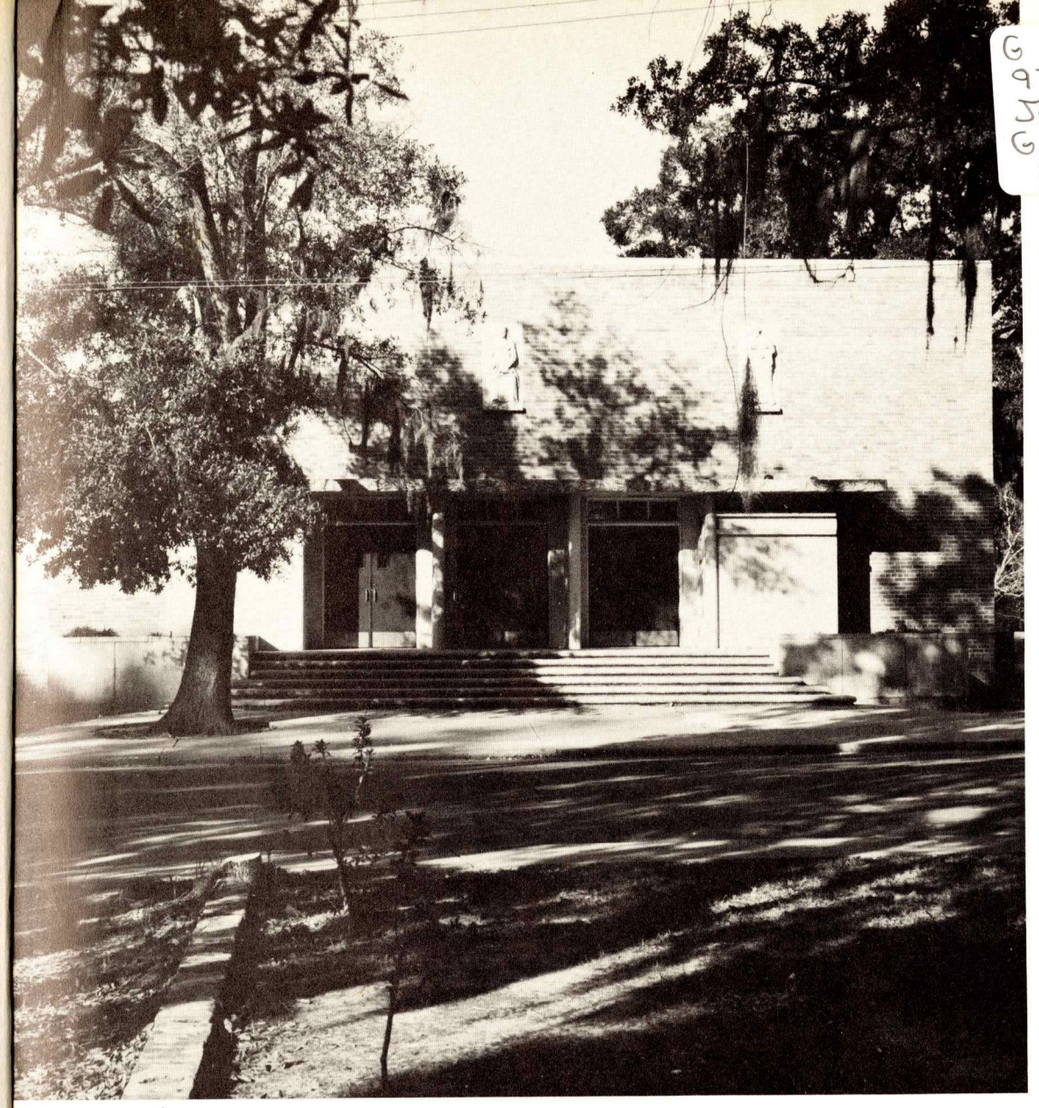

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MOSS POINT HIGH SCHOOL
Moss Point, Mississippi

FOREWORD

With the passing of time, the echoes of our school life will grow fainter and fainter, and then die away. Gone forever will be the routine of school life, the fun we had, and the friends we made. It is the hope of the '55 Growler Staff that, as you glance through this book in the years to come, you will recapture those moments and the echoes will begin again.

ALMA MATER

On the city's western border
Reared against the sky
Proudly stands our Alma Mater
As the years go by.
Forward, ever! Be our watchword,
Conquer and prevail.
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Moss Point High, all hail!

DEDICATION

As a small token of our appreciation for all he has done for us, we the '55 Growler Staff, dedicate this annual to our faithful friend and leader, M. J. Bullock.

His helpful kindness and patience have been a support to us through these unforgettable high school years.

As we leave M. P. H. S., we feel that he has prepared us well for the years that await us.

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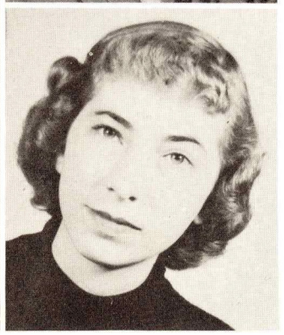

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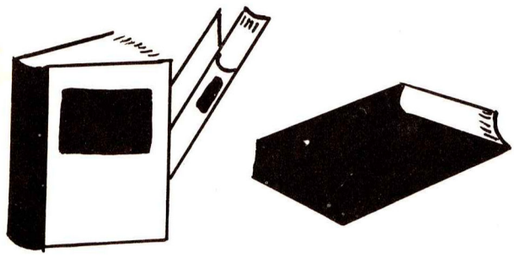

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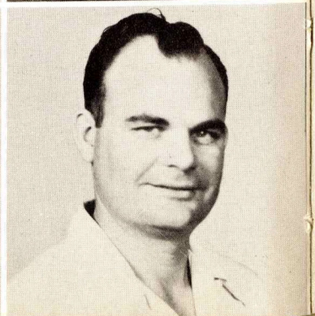

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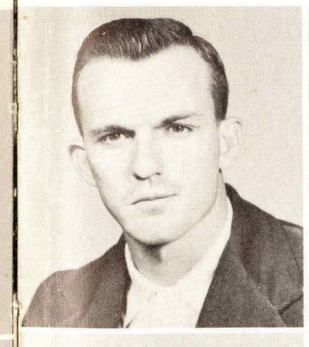

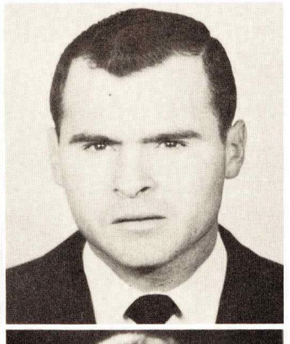

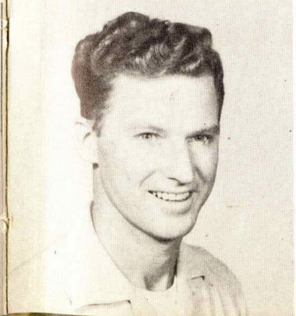

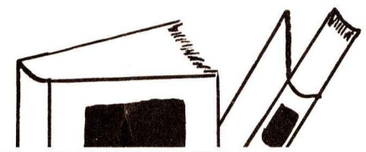

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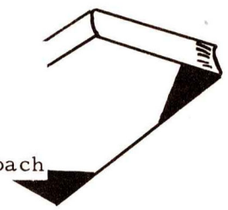
Physical Education Head Coach



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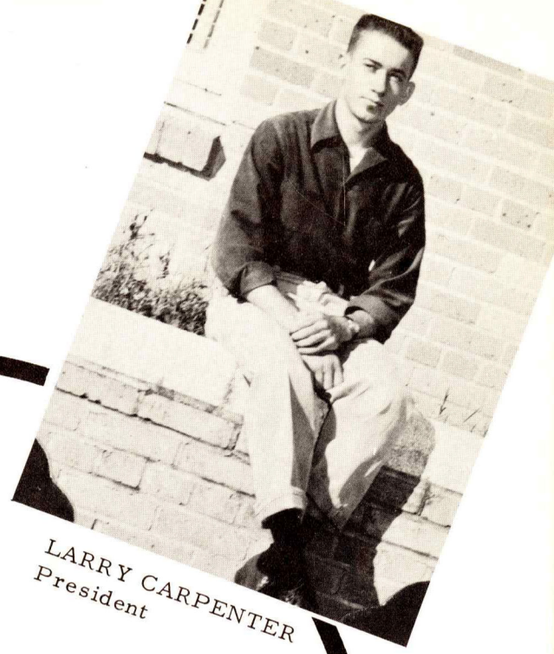
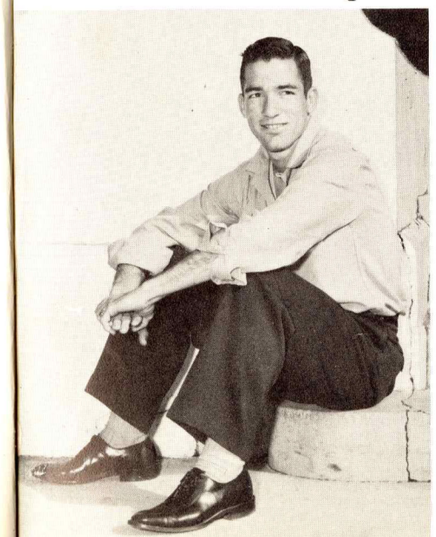
Secretary



LARRY CARPENTER
President

SENIORS



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Vice President

MARIE HUNNINGS
Reporter

Earline Carter

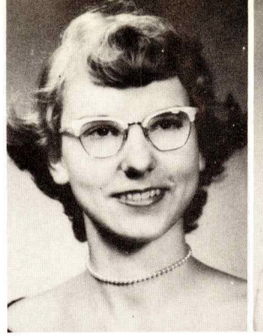
Jerry Whatley

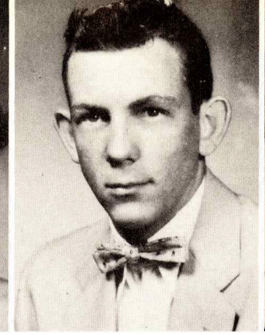
SENIOR FAVORITES

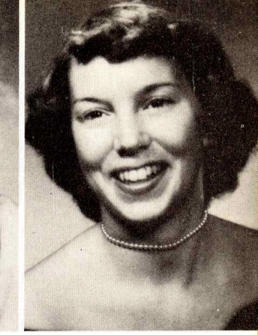
DIXIE MAE ADAMS
"She has no thought of any wrong."

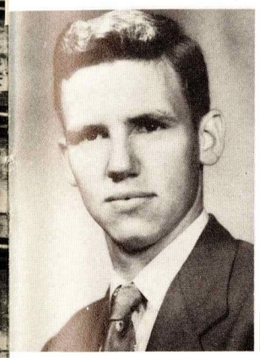
GERALD ALEXANDER
"He who is tall, sees all."
Baseball 1; Football 4.

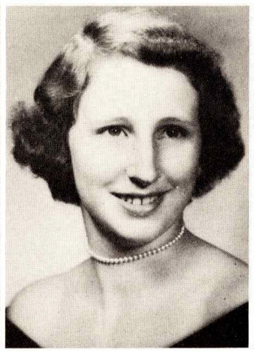
ETTIE EDNA ALLEN
"She never fails to speak a pleasant word."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

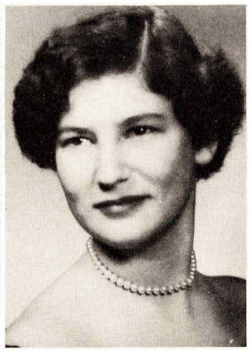












CHARLES AVERA
"Wonder is the seed of science."
Chorus 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Transfer.

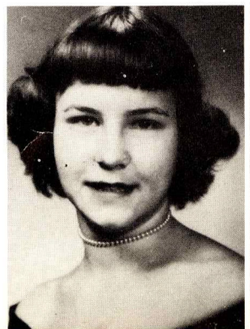
ONNIE BARIA
"A treat instead of a treatment."
Pep Club 4; Growler 4; 4-H Club 1, 2

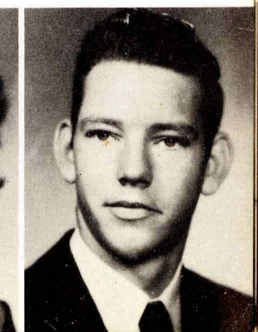
NORMA BAXTER
"A Merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance"
4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Tiger Flash 4.

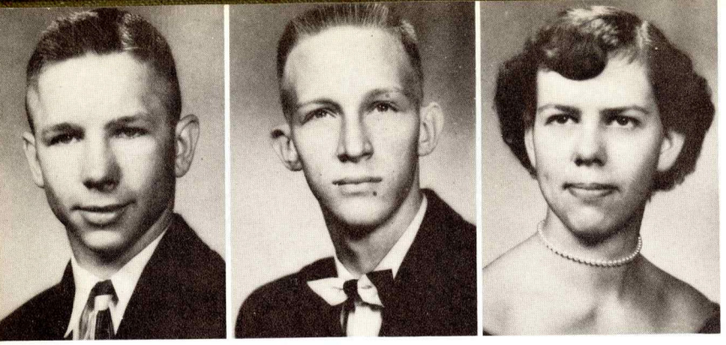
CAROL BERTRAM
"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest"
Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 4; Pep Club 4; Growler 4.

BOBBIE FAYE BLACKLEDGE
"Make Haste Slowly"
Library Science 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1; 4-H Club 1, 2.

STANLEY BRAGG
"What is more delightful than lettered ease"
4-H Club 1, 2.







LARRY BRANAM
"He that tries will succeed."
Science Club 2; Hi-Y Club 3; Our Hearts Were Young and Gay 3; Football 1; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Tiger Flash 4; Growler 4; M-Club 4; Carnival Court 4; Who's Who 4.

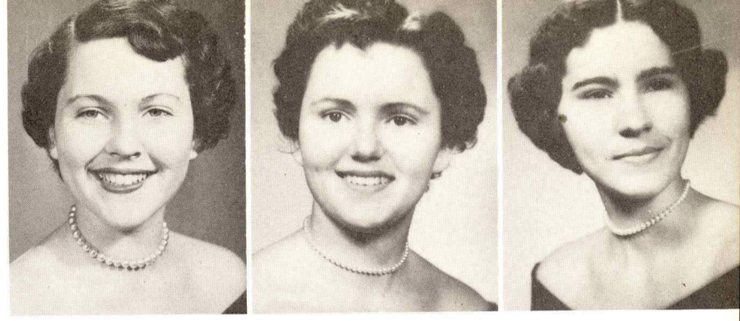
DAVID BRISCOE
"I grow old learning something new everyday"
Transfer; Hi-Y 4; Our Hearts Were Young and Gay 3.

HELEN BROWN
"If she can't find anything to laugh about, she'll just giggle."
Y-Teen 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Growler 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3.

EARLINE CARTER
"Happy will her nature be."
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Class Play--"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay"; Senior Favorite 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; Homecoming 2; Basketball 1; Senior Play 4.

NINA CLARK
"Justice is truth in action."
Y-Teens 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Carnival Court 4; Growler 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 4; 4-H Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Beauty 4.

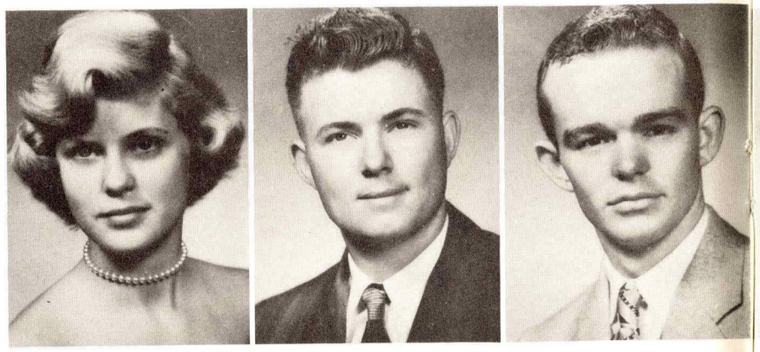
ANNETTE COPELAND
"Sensible and intelligent."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 3.



LOUISE BROWN
"A shining light."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Tiger Flash 3; Y-Teens 4; Growler 4.

RONALD BYRD
"It is better to do nothing than to make a mess of something."

FRANK CANFIELD
"The woods please above all things."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; M Club 4; Carnival Court 1, 4; Science Club 3; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4.



PEARL CARLISLE
"Love is only Chatter."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

BARBARA JEAN CARPENTER
"A rose with all its sweetest leaves, yet folded."
Student Council 4; Tiger Flash 3; Growler 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come."

LARRY CARPENTER
"President of his class, with the mildest manners and the gentlest heart."
Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Science Club 2; M-Club 4; Hy-Y 3; Tiger Flash 4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Student Council 4.

VERA CUNNINGHAM
"Blessed are joy makers."
Y-Teens 1, 4; F.H.A. 1; Pep Club 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; 4-H Club 1.

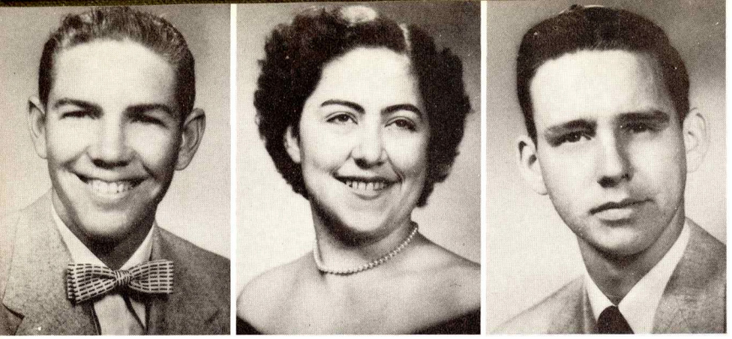
SHIRLEY DAVIS
"The beauty of the heavens are the stars, the beauty of women is their hair."
Pep Club 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Tiger Flash 4; Y-Teens 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2.

MARY DETHLOFF
"The wife is the key of the house."
F.H.A. 1, 2.

BONNIE COWART
"God gives all things to industry."
Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4.

CLEO COWART
"Joy is not in things, it is in us."
Pep Club 4; Tiger Flash 4; Growler 4.

DOROTHY CROWLEY
"Sweet as they come."
F.H.A. 1, 2; Pep Club 4.



EVERITT DICKENS
"Brevity is the soul of wit."
Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; M Club 4.

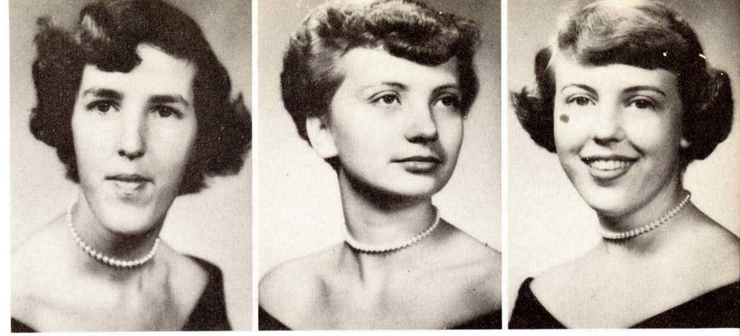
BARBARA EASLEY
"Laugh away to find laughter."
Y-Teens, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Growler 4; 4-H Club 1.

GILBERT EMERSON
"My heart is ever at your service."
4-H Club 1, 2; Science Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2.

PATRICIA HARWELL
"A good name is rather to be cherished than great riches."
F.H.A. 1, 2; Tiger Flash 4.

CAROLYN HILLMAN
"Happy-go-lucky, fair and free, nothing there is that bothers me."
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Who's Who 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4.

GENEVIEVE HINKEL
"I never met a man I didn't like."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Growler 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Y-Teens 1, 3; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Homecoming 4; Majorette 4; The Little Sheperd From Kingdom Come.



BOBBY GARDNER
"Thou art to girls a delicious torment."
Science Club 2; Hi-Y 3; Carnival Court 1, 2, 3; Football 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; M Club 4; Tiger Flash 4.

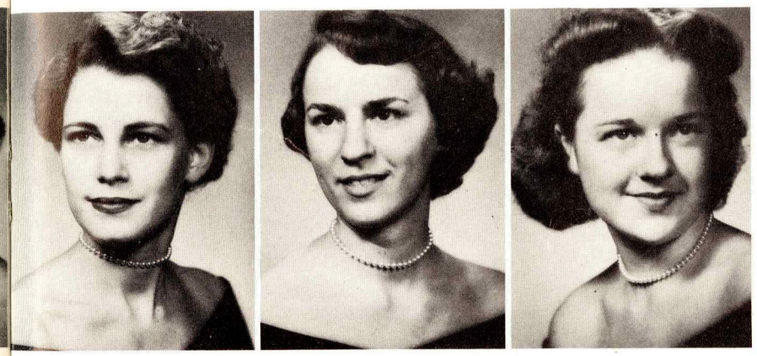
ANN GILL
"She has a voice in everything, and knows whereof she speaks."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Growler 3, 4; Carnival Court 1, 4; Who's Who 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Quill and Scroll Society 4; Homecoming 3, 4; Orchestra 1; Senior Play 4.

RUTH GORDON
"Life is long if it is full"
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Cheerleader 4; Tiger Flash 4; Growler 4; Quill and Scroll Society 4; Who's Who 4.

THELMA GRAHAM
"A little nonsense, now and then, is relished by the best of men."
Y-Teens 1, 3, 4; 4-H Club 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1; Pep Club 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Tiger Flash 4; Growler 4.

PEGGY GREEN
"A merry heart doeth good like medicine."
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Carnival Court 3; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Growler 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; H Club 1; Senior Play 4.

FRANKLIN HAMILTON
"Short and sweet."
Hi-Y 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARIE HUNNINGS
"He travels fastest who travels alone."
F.H.A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Growler 4; Chorus 2, 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Senior Play 4.

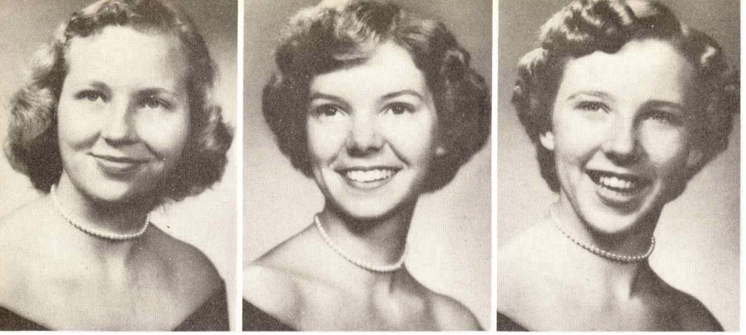
FRANCES JONES
"A sweet girl with a flair for sports."
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Growler 4; Pen Pal Club 4.

MONA KHAYAT
"A kindly heart and a sparkling tongue."
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Growler 3, 4; Homecoming Court 3, 4; Who's Who 4; Senior Play 4.

ZULA HOLIFIELD
"Beauty is a short-lived reign."
Pep Club 3, 4; Tiger Flash 4; Y-Teens 3; Beauty 4.

LUZENIA HOWELL
"Quick with the answers."
Science Club 2; Tiger Flash 3; Growler 4.

DOROTHY HUDSON
"A capable person in every way."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Tiger Flash 3.



JUANITA KOSKELA
"Love has a tide."
Basketball 1; F.H.A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Growler 4.

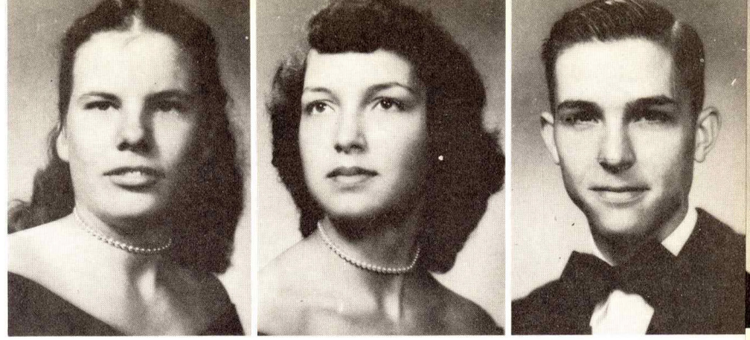
CAROL KOSKI
"Pretty eyes, pep, and friendliness."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Beauty 4; Carnival Court 2, 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; Who's Who 2; Homecoming 2; Chorus 1, 2.

MYRNA LADNIER
"Her blue eyes twinkle with loads of fun."
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" 4.

EUNICE McDUFFIE
"We walk by faith, not by sight."
Library Science 2.

FRANCES MILES
"Her fabulous smile is always in style."
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 2, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Growler 3, 4; Tiger Flash 4; Homecoming 3; Carnival Court 1, 2, 3, 4; Who's Who 3.

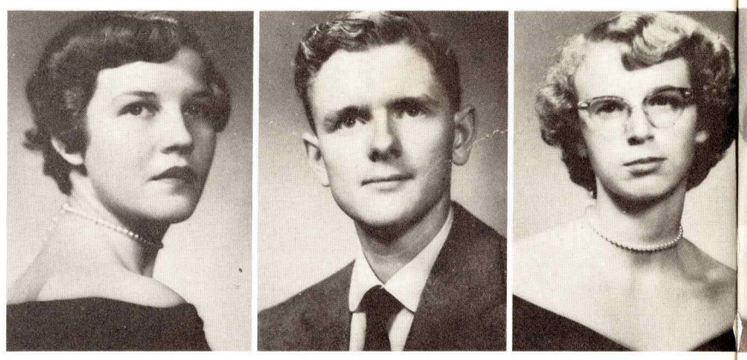
FRED MILES
"To beguile many, and be beguiled by one."
Basketball 3; Baseball 3; Tiger Flash 4; Growler 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; M Club 4; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" 4.



DONNEL LUNDY
"She moves a gooddess, but looks a queen."
Basketball 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Homecoming 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beauty 4; Growler 4.

ALBERT LYND
"The only thing we have to fear is fear itself."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Carnival Ball 4; Science Club 2; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3.

PAULINE Maddow
"An ingenious gal who will always be a pal."
Pep Club 2, 3; Tiger Flash 4.



HARLENE MOAK
"Pleasant is she and full of good intent."
Y-Teens 1; F.H.A. 3; Pep Club 4.

GANELL MILES
"A faithful friend is the medicine of life."
Band 1, 2; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.

EDDIE Moak
"Necessity is the mother of invention."

JANE MAHATHY
"She sat like patience on a monument smiling at grief."
Tiger Flash 4.

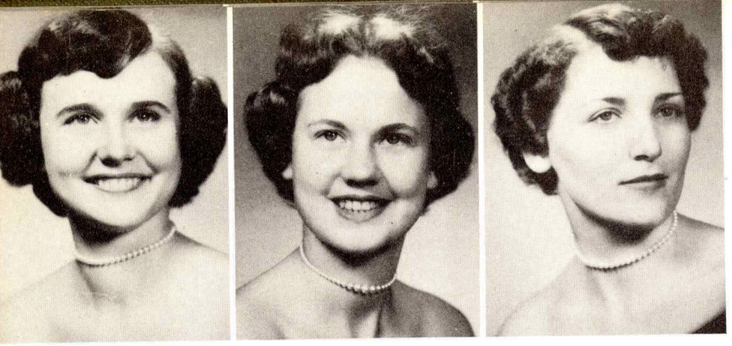
JUDY MALCOM
"Those dreamy eyes-----ahhh!"
Tiger Flash 4.

BETTY McCOOL
"Love toneth not itself."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Growler 3, 4; Carnival Court 1, 4; Homecoming 4.

SHERIDAN MOAK
"Genius at work."
Science Club 3.

EDNA RUTH MORRIS
"Sparkling, jolly, kindhearted, and gay."
Band 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 4; Growler 4.

CLYDE MOSELEY
"My way of joking is to tell the truth."
M Club 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Carnival Court 3; Senior Play 4.



MAGGIE LOU NEAL
"Friendship is the highest degree of perfection."
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

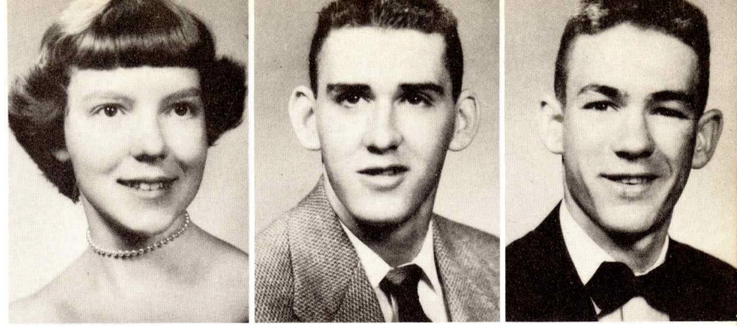
LOCHIA ODOM
"Clever, gifted, and sweet; modest, and always neat."
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 3; Growler 4; Band 1; Chorus 1; Pep Club 1, 3, 4.

MARY AGNES PIERCE
"Love Asks Nothing."
4-H Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Tiger Flash 4.

JUNE REILLY
"A sweeter girl never drew breath."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Growler 4; Carnival Court 2; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3.

JOE SCHAUB
"The final and perfect flower of noble character."
Football 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; M-Club 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; Carnival Court 1, 2; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" 4.

BRENT SMITH
"Nothing endures but personal qualities."
Track 3; Football 2, 3, 4; M-Club 4; Hi-Y 3; Growler 4; Carnival Court 2, 4; Tiger Flash 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3.



FAYE POSEY
"Great is truth."
F.H.A. 1.

ANNETTE PREVOST
"Effervescent and Bright."
Chorus 2; Pep Club 2; Carnival Court 2, 4; Secretary 1, 2, 3, 4; Growler 4; Student Council 4; Beauty 4.

JACKIE RANDALL
"Her smile goes all the way around and buttons in the back."
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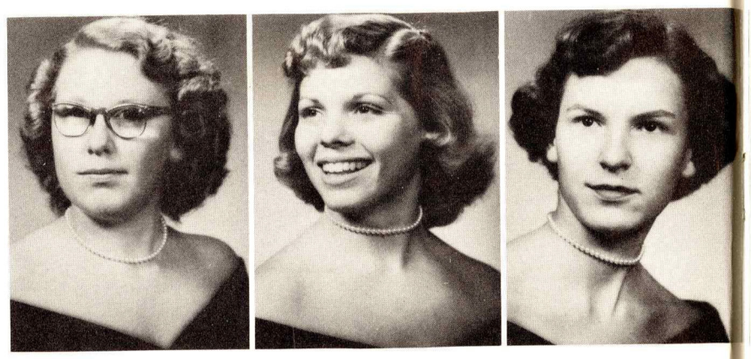

ROMA REEVES
"Variety in the very spice of Life."
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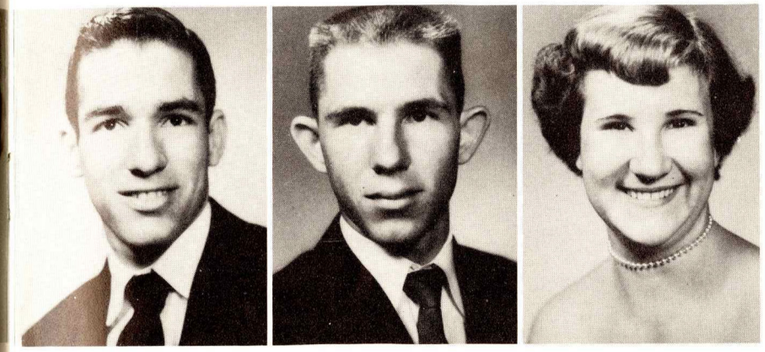
EDWARD RASBERRY
"Heavens's gift to the female race."
Baseball 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 4; Growler 4; Carnival Court 1; Chorus 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3.

BILLY FAYE READY
"And from my presence showers a rain melody."
Pep Club 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.



JIMMY RAY SMITH
"He was a very perfect and gentle knight."
Hi-Y 3; Tiger Flash 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; M-Club 4; Carnival Court 2; Track 3, 4; President 2, 3; Vice President 4; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3.

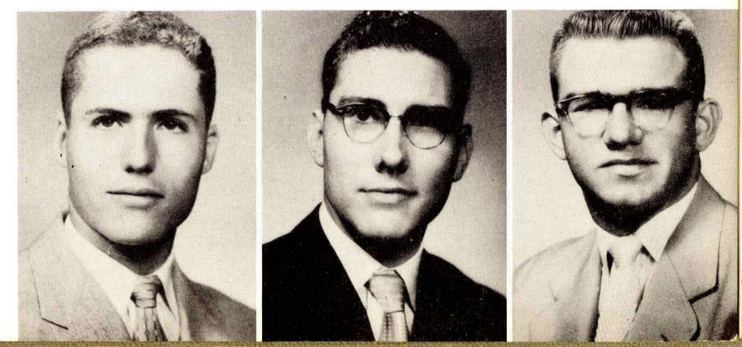
PAUL SMITH
"Quiet and Shy; a wonderful guy."
Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; M-Club 4; Carnival Court 3; Hi-Y 3; Who's Who 4.

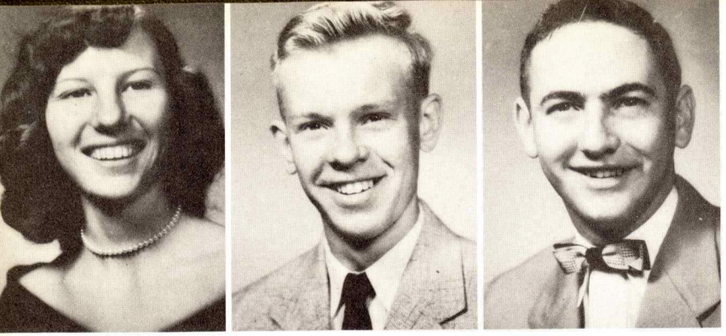
ZELLA MAE SMITH
"Laugh and be well."

ARNOLD ROSS STRAHN
"An oar in every man's boat, and a finger in every pie."
M-Club 4; Hi-Y 3; "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" 3; Baseball 3, 4; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; Track 2.

HAYWOOD STAUTER
"Beware the fury of a patient man."
Band 1; Tiger Flash 3.

LUTHER TANNER
"Love is so different with us men."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Growler 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; M-Club 3, 4; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" 4.





MAUDE TAYLOR
"I'll never walk alone."
Tiger Flash 4.

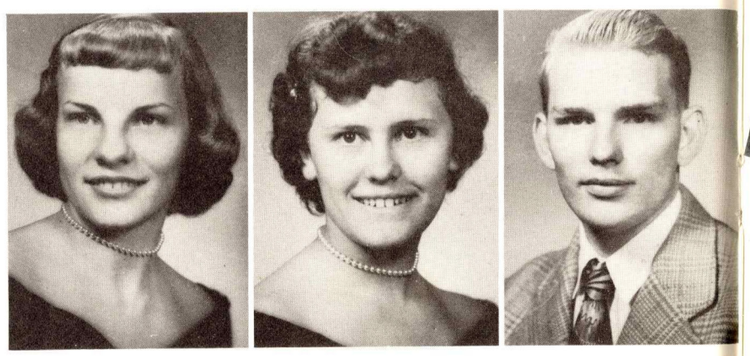
PETER VAN EGMOND
"He dares to do all that becomes a man."
-Transfer- Tiger Flash 4; Hi-Y 4; Growler 4; Chorus 4; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" 4.

SONNY VANN
"Better late than never."
Football 2; Carnival Court 1; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4.

LORRAINE VICE
"She wears all that learning lightly, like a flower."
4-H Club 1, 2; Tiger Flash 4; Y-Teens 1, 2; F.H.A. 1.

JOYCE VINING
"Patience and gentleness are power."
Transfer- Tiger Flash 4.

LYNN WEST
"Sweetest melodies are by distance more sweet."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Carnival Court 3.

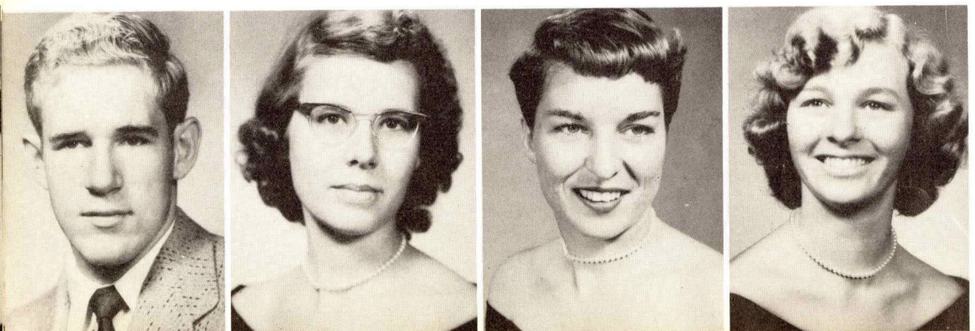


JERRY WHATLEY
"Well, here I am girls."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; M-Club 4; Track 4; Who's Who 3, 4.

VIRGINIA WELLS
"They are rich who have true friends."

MARY JANE WILSON
"Ah'm so happy."
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Growler 4; Tiger Flash 4; Chorus 1, 4; Band 1, 2, 3.

MARY YOUNG
"Faith is her wisdom."
4-H Club 1, 2.



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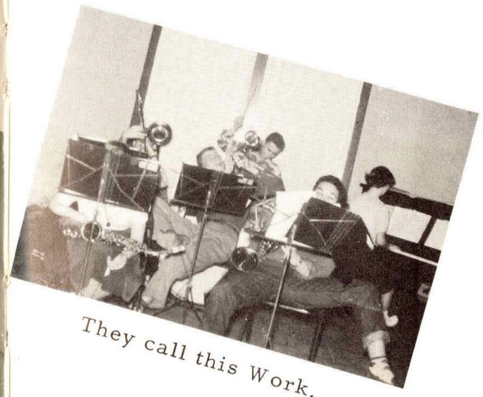

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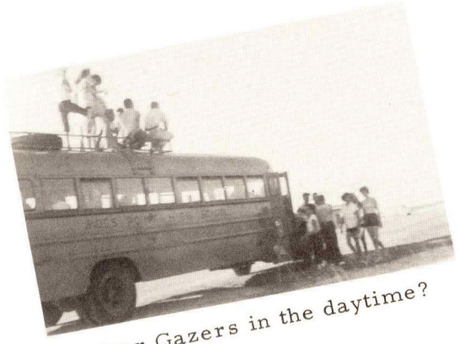


Star Gazers in the daytime?

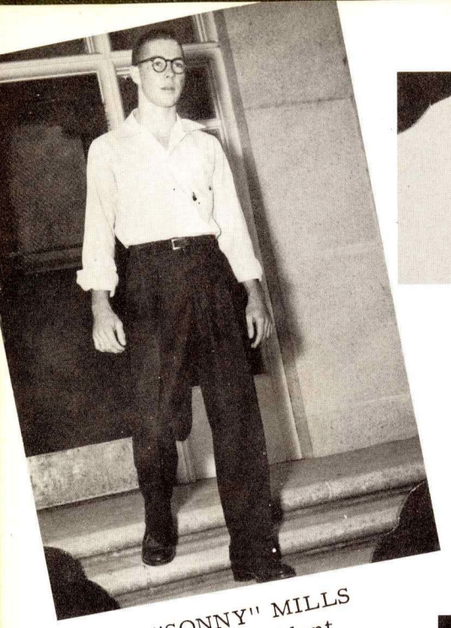
Two Marsh Hens???

Make yourself Comfortable.

Football Heroes??

Man's best Friend.

JUNIORS



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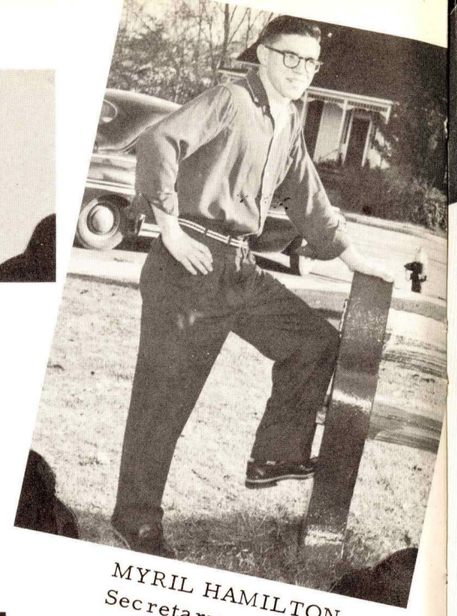

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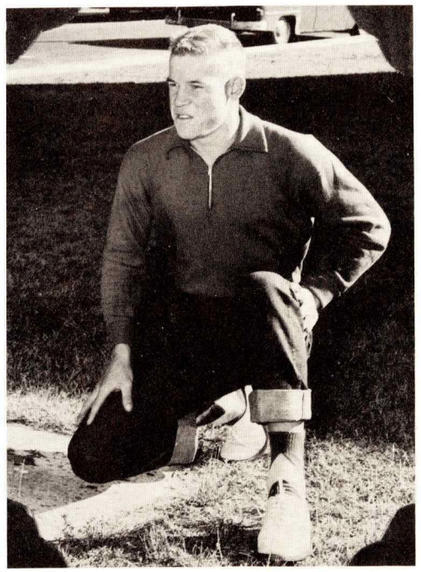

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ROBERT KHAYAT
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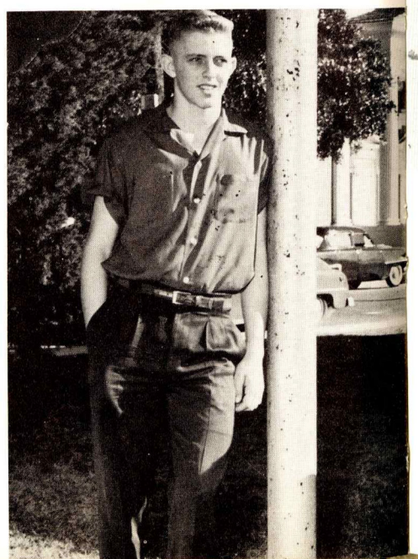

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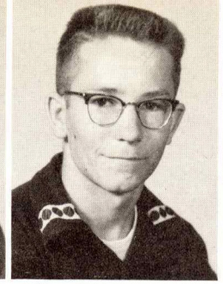

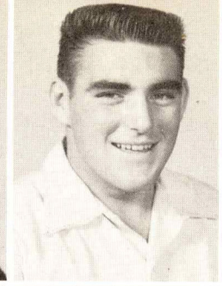

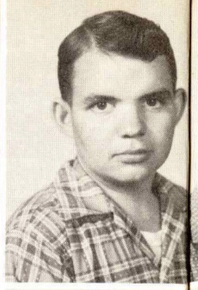

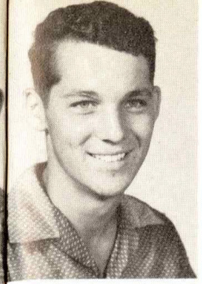

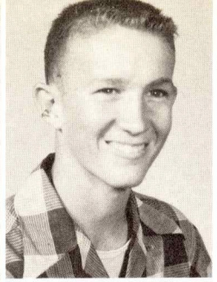

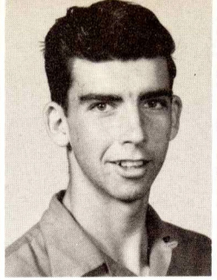

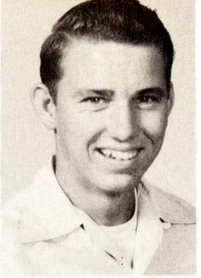

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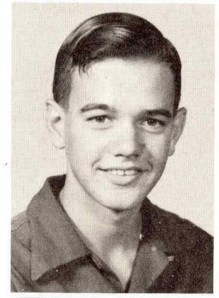

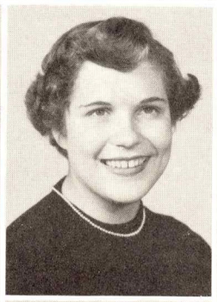

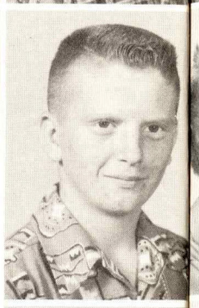

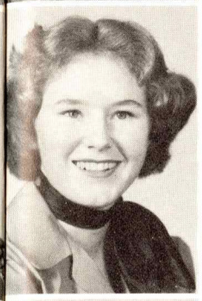

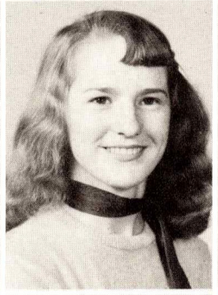

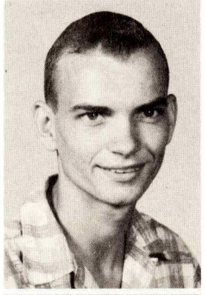

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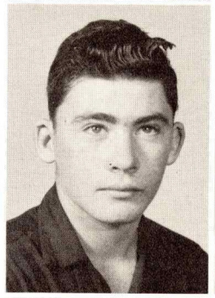

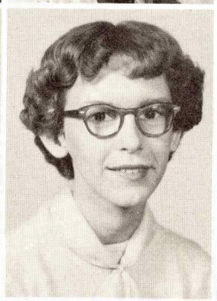

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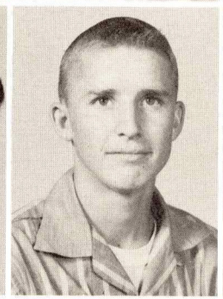

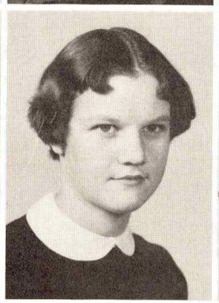

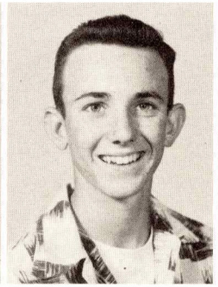

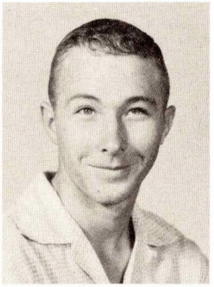

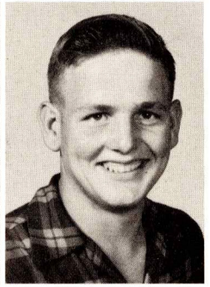

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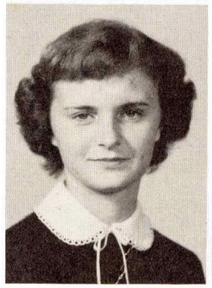

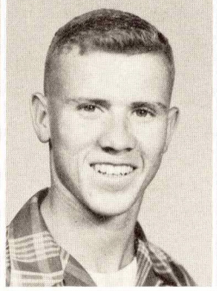

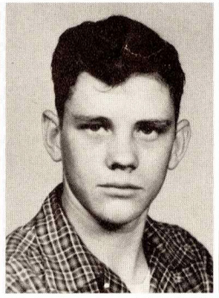

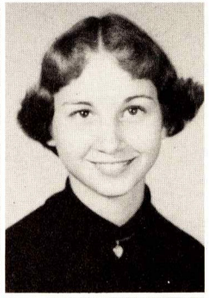

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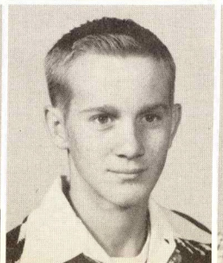

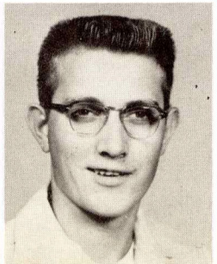

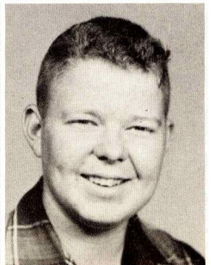

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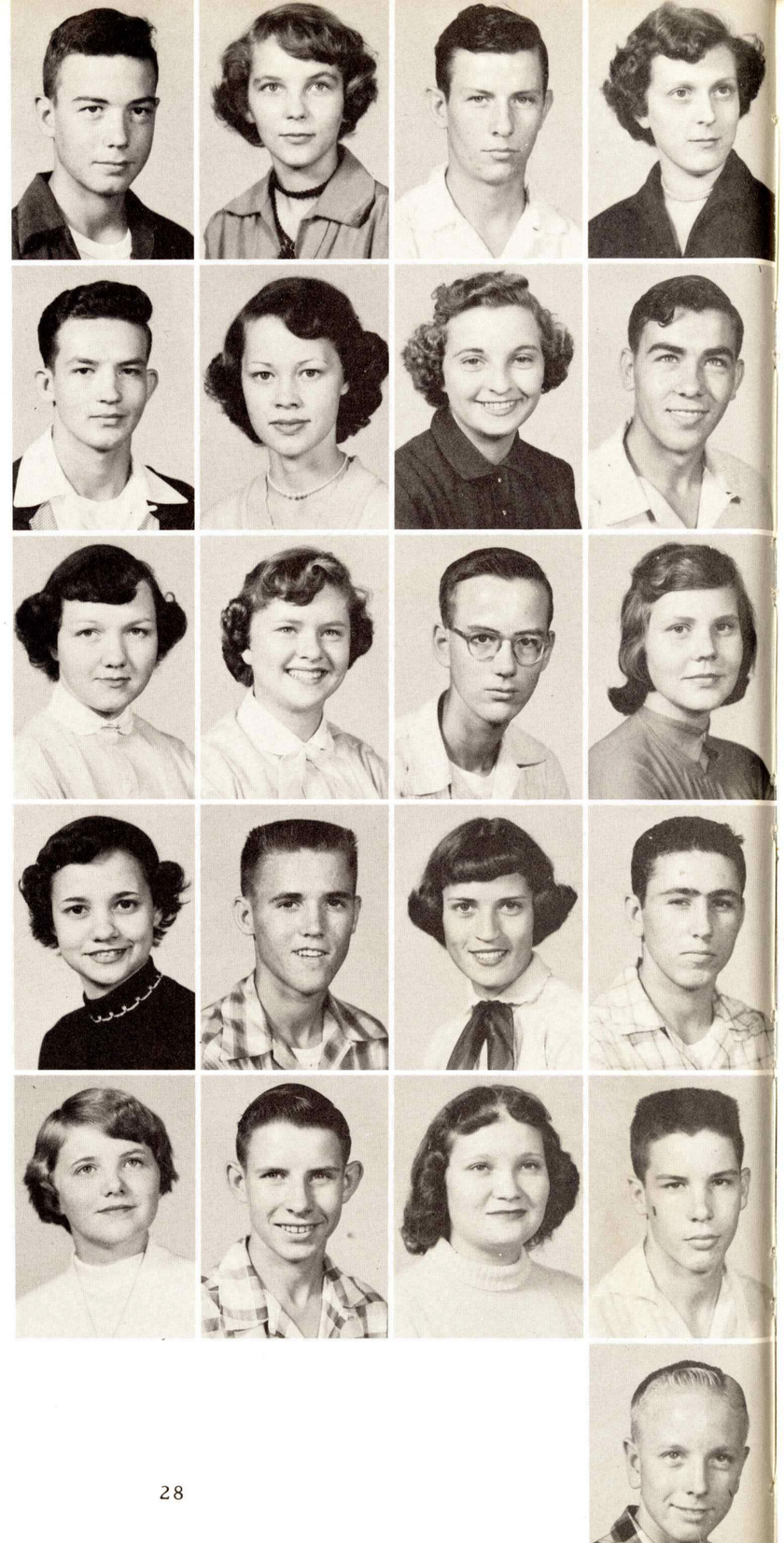

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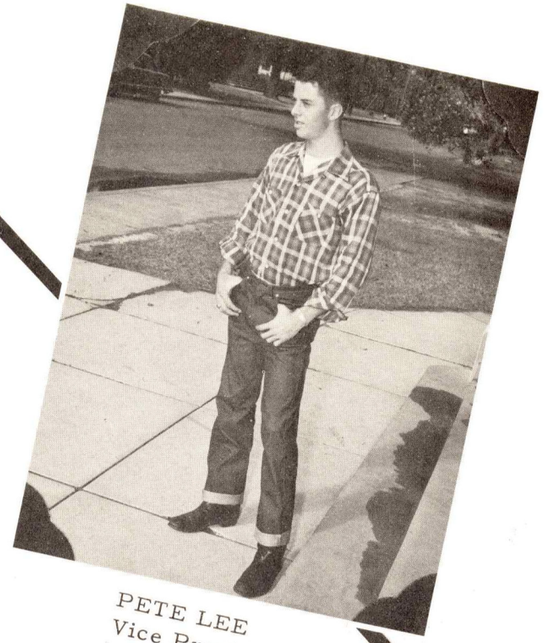

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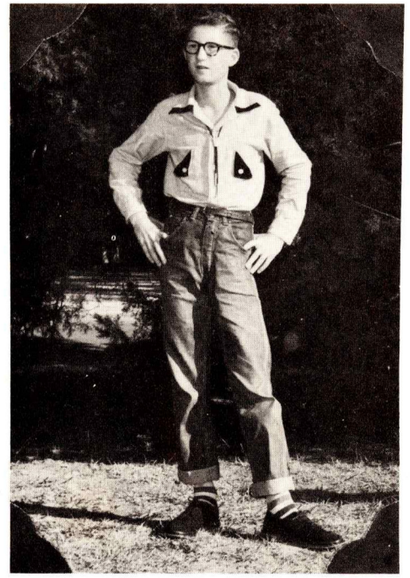

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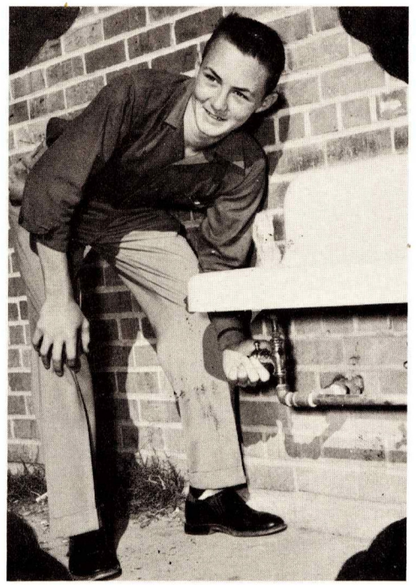

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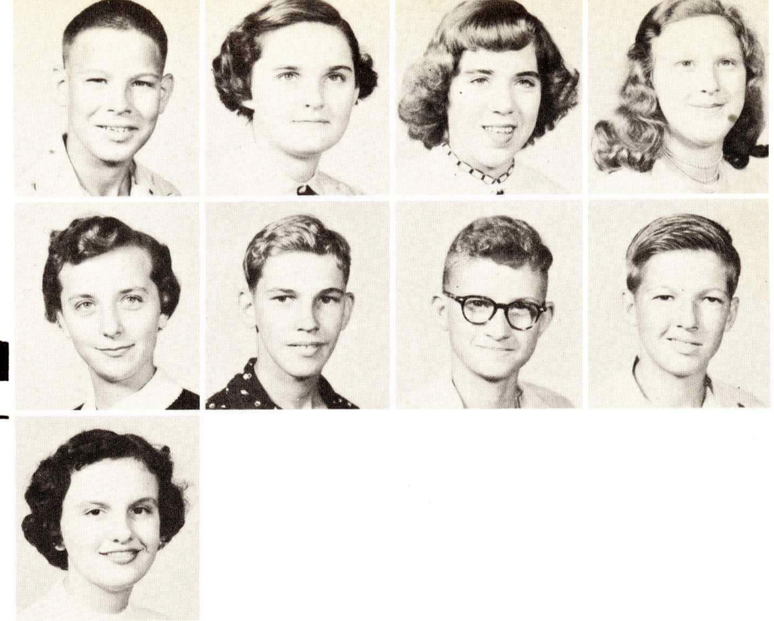

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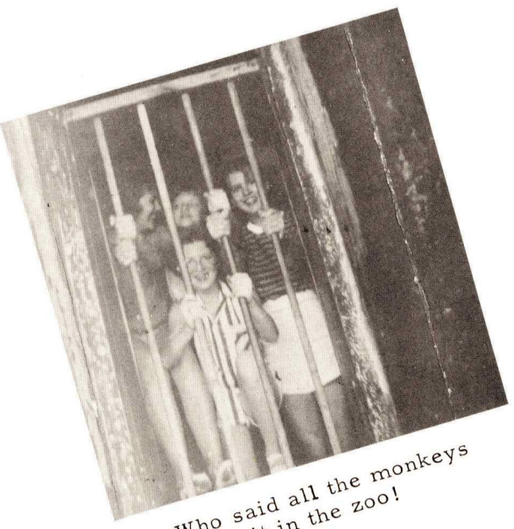

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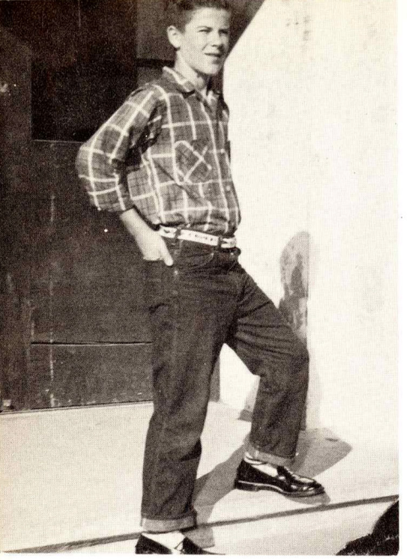

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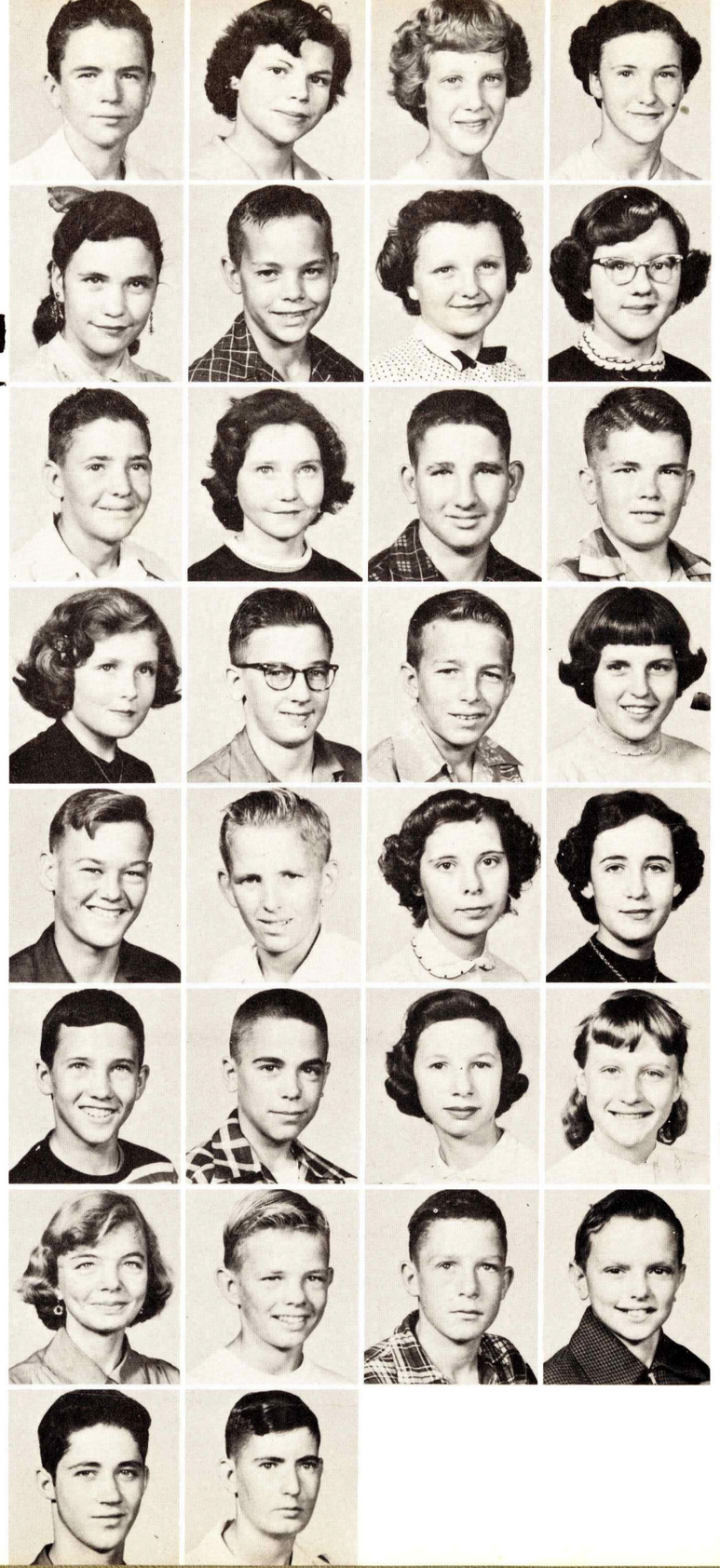

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Barbara Jean Carpenter

STUDENT COUNCIL

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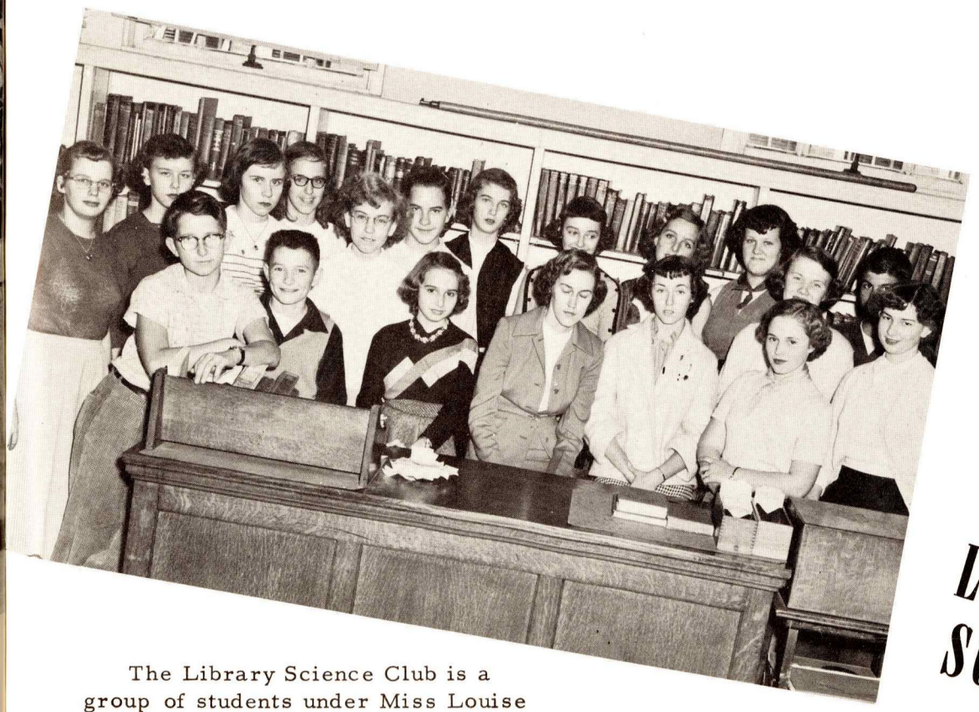
This is the first functioning Student Council that M. P. H. S. has had in several years. Their Biggest Project was obtaining a Recreational Center for the Student Body. Other projects have improved the school and the spirit of the students.



LIBRARY SCIENCE

The Library Science Club is a group of students under Miss Louise McLeod. They are in charge of all library activities.

Mr. Tom Cook

ANNUAL

Editing the '55 Growler has been one of the hi-lites of my Senior year. I deeply appreciate all the help and co-operation that the other members of the staff have given. I hope that you will enjoy your annual and that in the future it will recall many pleasant memories for you.

Ann Gill

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My sincere thanks to you, for buying and reading the "Tiger Flash". It is a great thrill to have the confidence of nearly 750 readers. It has been a greater thrill to be Editor-in-Chief of the "Tiger Flash".

Pete Van Egmond

INTERNATIONAL QUILL AND SCROLL SOCIETY
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TIGER FLASK

The Pep Club helps to build and keep alive school spirit. They are a great asset to our athletic teams.

OFFICERS: Marie Hunnings, Glenda Roberts, Marie Morie. Sponsor: Miss Lynn Bacot.

PEP CLUB

Sponsors: Miss Tommy Smith, and Miss Barbara Carter.

JR. Y-TEENS

President-Freddie Jo Morris, Vice-President-Adell Griffen, Secretary-Betty Lou Jones, Treasurer-Wauceil Cunningham, Reporter-Patricia Faggard, Program Chairman-Jackie Roberts.

The 8th and 9th grade girls make up this Junior branch of the Y-Teens. They follow close in the path of their Senior group. Jr. Y-Teens To grow as a person; To grow in friendship with all people of all races, religion and nationalities; To grow in the knowledge and love of God.

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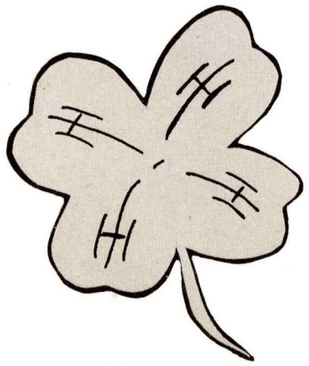


Motto
"To Make the Best, Better"

President-Marie Eckhoff, Vice-President-Bettie Leckie, Secretary & Treasure Anne Hurd, Recreation Leader-Janice Emerson, Reporter-Carolyn Lee, Vice-President-Ronald Johnson.

"M" CLUB

President-Paul Smith, Vice-President-Clyde Moseley, Sergent At Arms-Bertlynn, Secretary and Treasurer-Larry Carpenter, Fred Miles-Activities Chairman, (not shown).

The M-CLUB of Moss Point High is made up of boys who have won varsity letters. Article II of the club's constitution states the purpose of the club as, "encouraging a better understanding between personnel of athletes and lay students, to insure fair play, to create a wholesome fellowship between the students and faculty, to back all scholastic activities, to promote athletics on a high plane, and to preserve the integrity symbolized by the coveted "M".

Y-TEEN

President-Ruth Gordon, Vice-President Mona Khayat, Secretary-Betty McCool, Reporter-Carol Koski, Pianist-Cassie Boyett, Song Leader-Ann Gill.

The Senior Y-Teens, a branch of the YWCA, is composed of girls from grades ten through twelve. This organization sponsors the annual Christmas formal, Farmer's Ball, and the Who's Who Contest. Included in their activities is the annual girls football game.

SAVED BY THE BELLE

JUNIOR PLAY

CAST

Mitizie Walsh	Sheila Humphreys
Lulu Green	Ann Benefield
Harriet Shaw	Cassie Boyett
Pudge Roberts	Carolyn Farragut
Mrs. Fish	Martha Broadus
Bonnie Carson	Dorothy Carney
Ginnie Ellis	Joan Webb
Rita Powers	Dixie Wilson
Warren Sands	Robert Khayat
Slugger O'Day	Lester Hill
Jackie Clark	Larry Wood
Directors	Miss Willina Thomas
	Miss Peggy Harrell

THE LITTLE SHEPHERD OF KINGDOM COME

SENIOR PLAY

CAST

Chad, "the little shepherd"	Pete Van Egmond
Nathan Cherry	Luther Tanner
Betsy Cherry	Peggy Green
Melissy Turner	Earline Carter
Major Calvin Buford	Fred Miles
Miss Lucy Buford	Myrna Ladnier
Old Tom	Clyde Moseley
Thanky	Genevieve Hinkel
Mrs. Caroline Dean	Ann Gill
Margaret Dean	Mona Khayat
Richard Hunt	Joe Schaub
Nellie Hunt	Marie Hunnings
Jennie Overstreet	Barbara Jean Carpenter
Directors	Barbara Easley, Miss Thomas, Miss Harrell

The high school chorus under the direction of Mr. James Bishop presents each year a spring concert and perform at school assemblies. They also take part in state festivals.

CHORUS

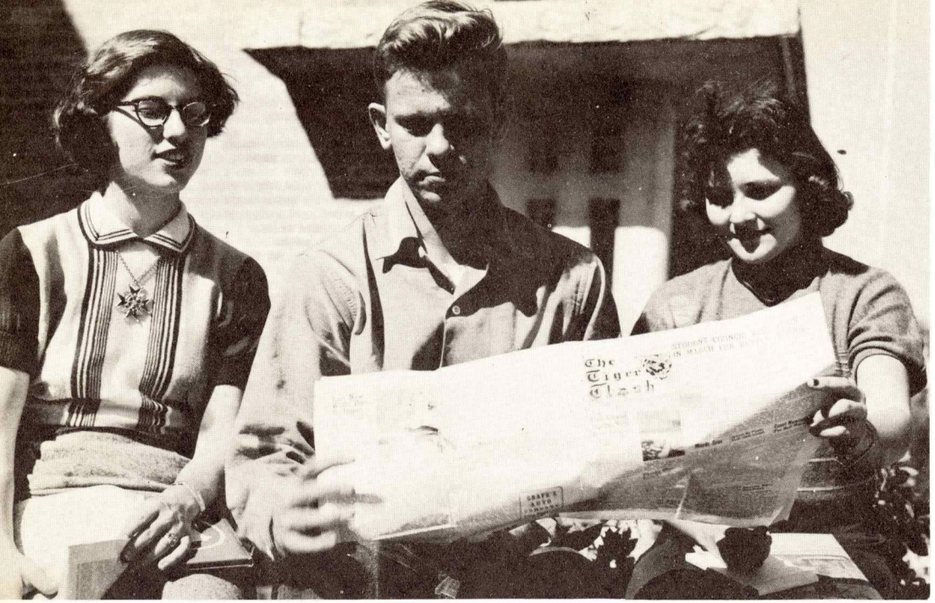
GIRLS SEXTET:
Martha Brodus, Cassie Boyett, Billye Faye Ready, Loretta Clark, Fay Farragut, Genevieve Hinkel.
Mrs. Janice Hicks, Pianist.

OFFICERS

Captain and Drum Major, Jerry Miles; Lieutenant, John Young; Sergeant, Billy Koski; Sergeant and Majorette, Ann Gill; Librarian, Genevieve Hinkel, Majorettes, Cassie Boyett, Carol Koski, Frances Miles, Mona Khayat.

BAND

The High School Band under the direction of Mr. Jimmy Bishop and Mr. Shannon Slyfield, performs at all football games. Here they are shown in concert formation as they give their spring concert. The band takes part in state competition and in the past has received many superior ratings. It sponsors the Annual Carnival Ball which is the social event of the year.



This is the first Chapter of this Society that MPHS has ever had. We hope it will continue to grow.

MEMBERS: Ruth Gordan, Ann Gill, Pete Van Egmond. Sponsor: Mr. Tom Cook.

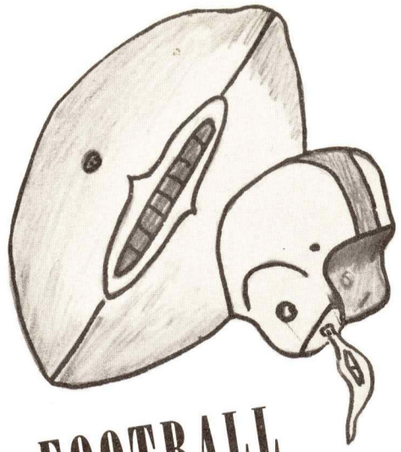
Quill and Scroll

International Honorary Society for High School Journalists

HI-Y

Officers: Robert Khayat, President; Sonny Mills, V-President; Rocky Farragut, Sec; Luther Tanner, Treas; Larry Wood, Programs.

"To create, Maintain, and extend throughout the home, school, and community, high morals of Christian character."



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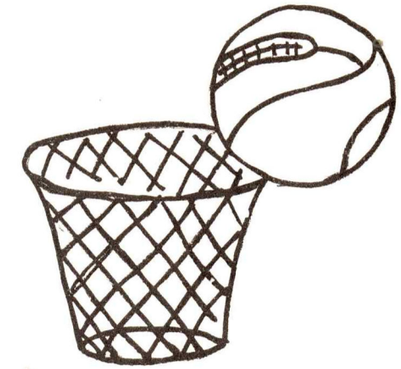

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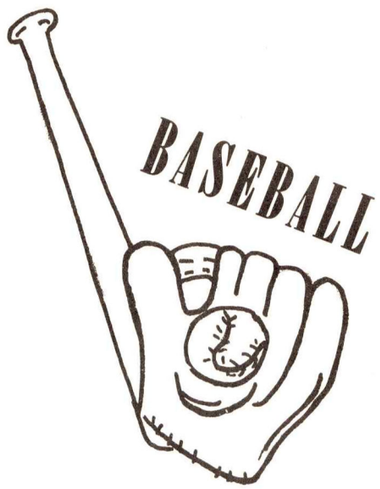

BASEBALL

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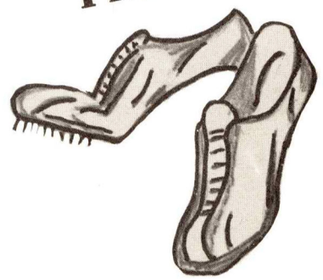

FOOTBALL

1954 RECORD

Moss Point-	16	Biloxi-	7
Moss Point-	14	Brookhaven-	7
Moss Point-	7	St. Stanislaus-	6
Moss Point-	0	Murphy-	41
Moss Point-	21	McGill-	32
Moss Point-	20	Gulfport-	6
Moss Point-	21	Hattiesburg-	33
Moss Point-	7	Laurel-	20
Moss Point-	6	Picayune-	19
Moss Point-	7	Pascagoula-	12

FIRST ROW: Buddy Smith, Bert Lynn, Paul Smith, Robert Khayat, Jerry Whatley, Luther Tanner, Clyde Moseley, Bobby Baria, Bobby Joe Rogers, Joe Schaub, Gerald Alexander, Bobby Gardner, Larry Restucher. SECOND ROW: Manager, Eugene Baria, Gene Stewart, Tom Stauter, Larry Wood, Larry Carpenter, Sonny Mells, Jimmy Alexander, Everett Dickens, Johnny Rogers, Myril Hamilton, Louis Pierce, Brent Smith, Royce Crowley, Frank Canfield, Manager,* Clyde Wells. THIRD ROW: Coach Davis and Stauter, Raymond "Dynamite" Edwards, Bobby Switzer, Corwin Ogburn, Ray Hunnings, Pete Lee, Thad Boykin, Freddie Goff, Earl Dodge, Glenn Ryder, Carlton Bloodworth, Billy Koski, Kenny Anderson, Richard Finch, Manager* Herlon Wells, Coach Howell.

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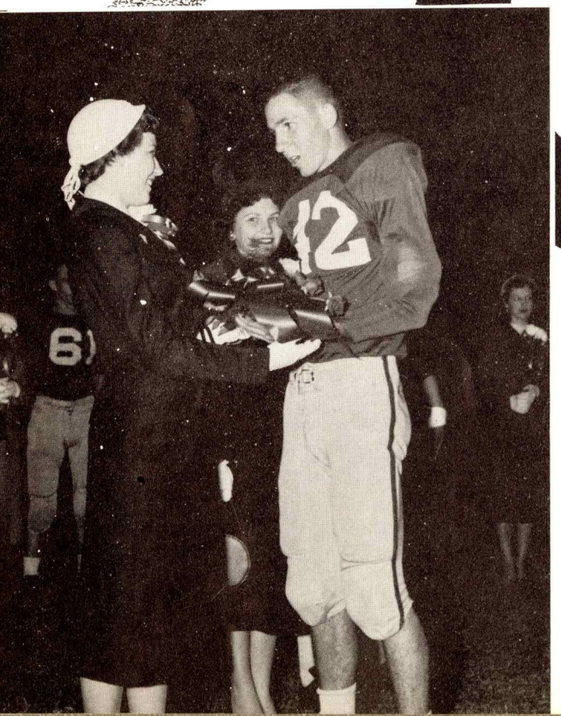
QUEEN

HOMECOMING

DONNEL LUNDY



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Gerald Alexander

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BASEBALL

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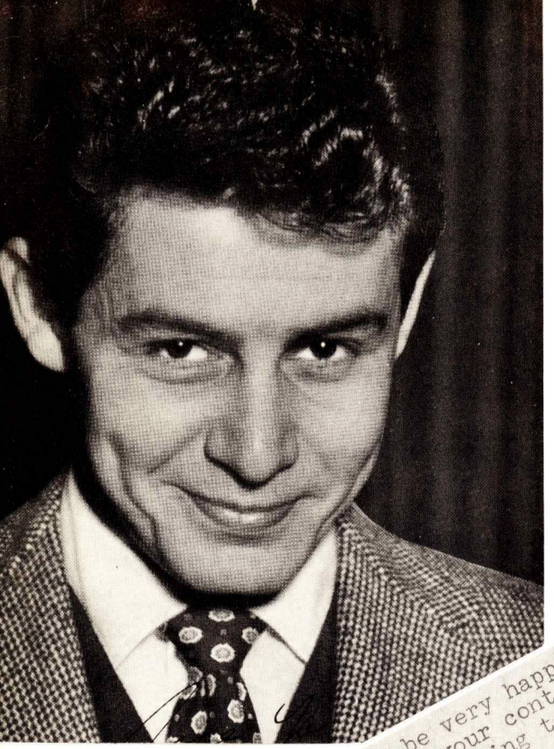


EDDIE FISHER

I'd be very happy to help you
judge your contest---in fact,
that's going to be a mighty
pleasant job. Thanks for asking
me to do it.

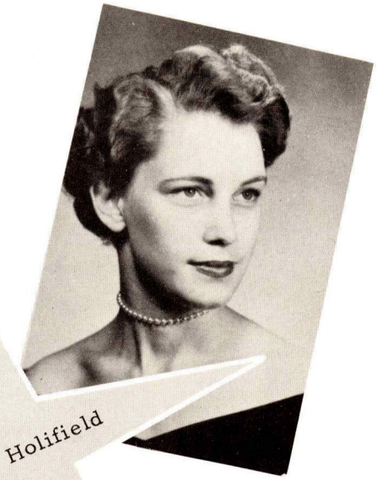
Send on the pictures of those
beautiful gals. And I'll get
to work.

Sincerely,

Eddie Fisher

ANNETTE PREVOST

Carol Koski



Zula Holifield

SENIOR BEAUTIES

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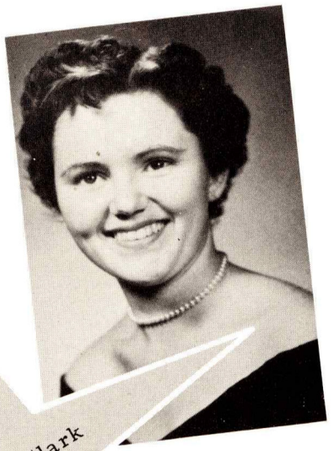

Nina Clark

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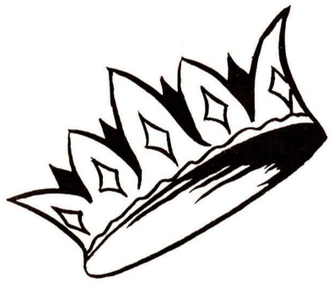

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SONNY DENMARK

COURT

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Archdutchess: Ann Gill

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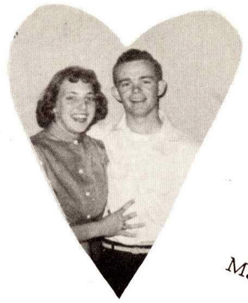

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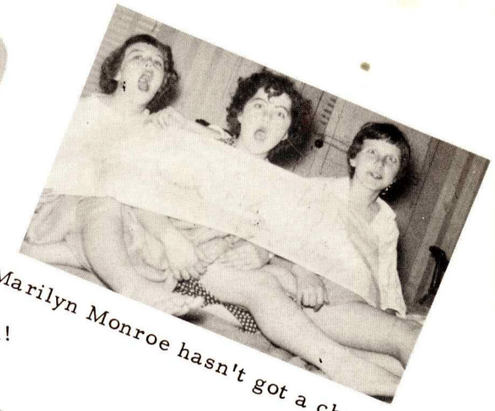

Marilyn Monroe hasn't got a chance.

What's the big secret??

Nothing old Fashioned about them.

Hi Fellas!

I'm So-o-o-o- Tired!

D. V. E.
Bathing Beauty?

They're off!!

Peek-a-boo!!

ANN GILL

PAUL SMITH

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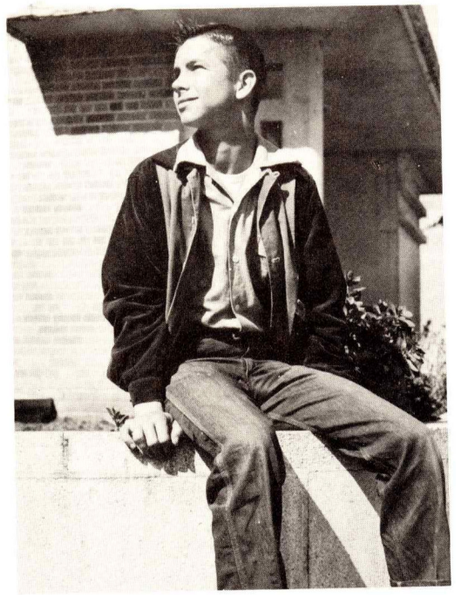

LARRY BRANAM
MOST INTELLECTUAL BOY

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WITTIEST GIRL

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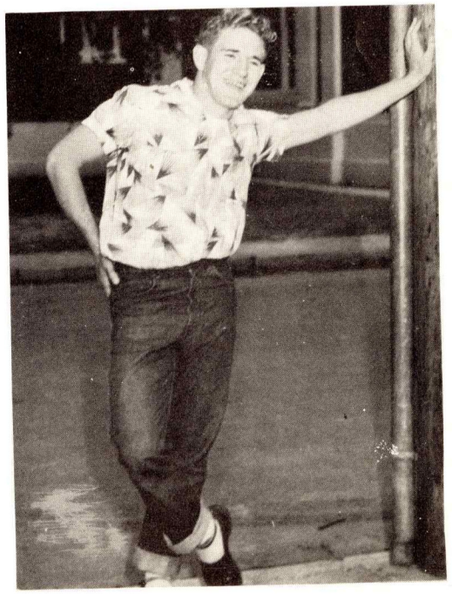

DIXIE WILSON
MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

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GIRL MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
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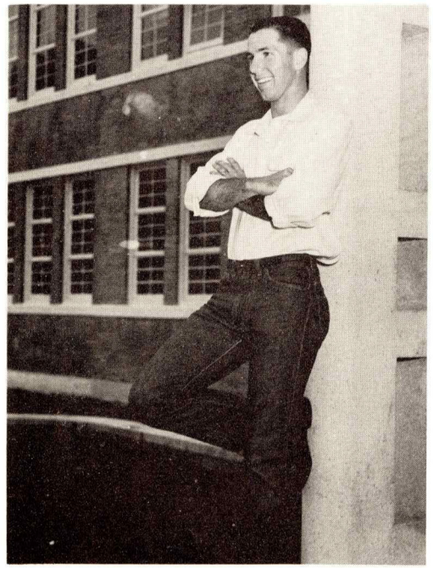

PAUL SMITH
MOST ATHLETIC BOY
BOY MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

JOANNE EKLUND
BEST DRESSED GIRL

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BEST ALL AROUND FRESHMAN

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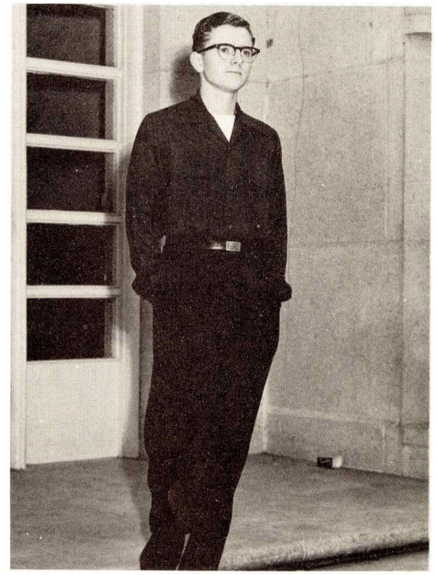
HELEN FAYE COOK
MOST TYPICAL SOPHOMORE



ALBERT LYND
MOST SOPHISTICATED SENIOR

MONA KHAYAT
DIXANN KELLY
CUTEST GIRLS

HELEN FAYE COOK
FRANK CANFIELD
CUTEST COUPLE

WHO'S WHO

ESTHER PATTERSON
FRIENDLIEST GIRL

ROBERT KHAYAT
MOST HANDSOME BOY
MOST VERSATILE BOY
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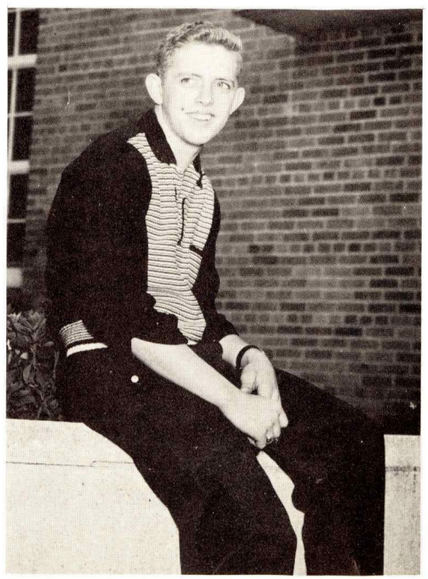
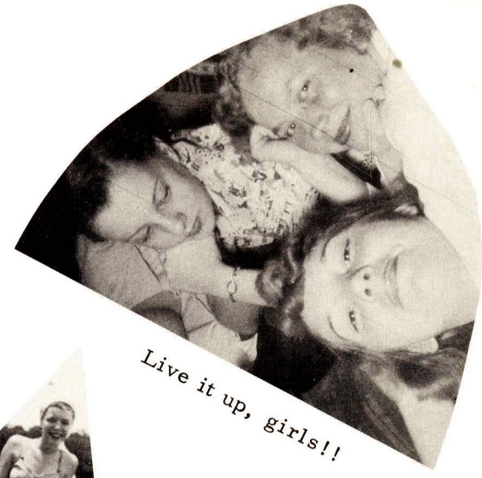


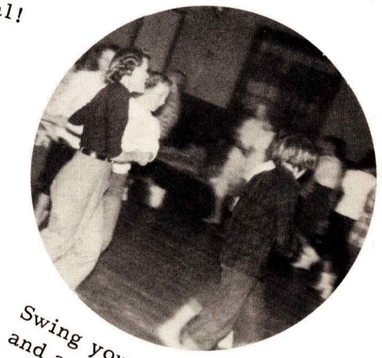
The Tigers Hideaway.



Live it up, girls!!

We never grow old!

Turn on that charm, Gal!



Swing your Partner
and away we go!

Looks Like A Zoo doesn't it.

Do the Bunny Hop!!

This is the end, my Friend.

This is a sloppy mess!

Careful Girls!

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